characterized in that <u>ciaim 12</u>, wherein it is directly connected to a power network for high voltage, suitably 36 kV and more, without intermediate transformer.

Claim 36. (Amended) [A] <u>The</u> device according to [any of claims 1-11 and 13-32, characterized in that] <u>claim 1</u>, <u>wherein</u> it is constituted by a power transformer/reactor.

Please delete all multiple dependencies. If any multiple dependencies remain in the claims, it is respectfully requested that said multiple dependencies be 'deleted and reference be made to the immediately preceding claim.

REMARKS

The application has been amended in order to delete the multiple dependencies from the claims and to place the application in better format according to U.S. practice.

Examination on the merits is earnestly solicited.

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